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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 10, line 1, with the following amended paragraph:

In a preferred embodiment, the nucleic acid or its complement includes less that than 200 contiguous nucleotides, preferable preferably less than 150 contiguous nucleotides, more preferably less than 100 contiguous nucleotides of the subject sequence.